

Open Evenings.

## THERE

Never was a Haberdashery Stock that contained so many articles so appropriate and acceptable for Holiday Gifts as ours, and never were prices so low for truly reliable qualities. Here's a little list of things most every man wants and expects to get at Christmas—

Bath Robes,  
Dressing Gowns,  
Smoking Jackets,  
Mackintoshes,  
Handkerchiefs,  
Umbrellas,  
Canes,  
Mufflers,  
Chest Protectors,  
Gloves,  
Pajamas,

and dozens of other equally serviceable and sensible articles.

A special lot of \$7.50 and \$6.50 Smoking Jackets reduced to \$5.00.

\$14.00 French Flannel Robes, \$8.50.

\$7.50 and \$6.00 Elder-down Robes, \$5.00.

\$5.50 and \$5.00 Elder-down Robes, \$4.00.

Ladies' Umbrellas, a big line, \$3.50 to \$18.00.

The \$6.75 sale of Men's \$14, \$12 and \$10 Suits ends Saturday, better come in today while the assortment is still good.

ROBINSON, CHERY & CO  
12th and F Sts. Clothes, Furnishings, Hats, Shoes.

## Coke makes a hot fire.

It is economical, fuel, for it lasts longer than coal. Very quick to ignite, and contains neither dirt nor clinkers.

40 bu. (uncrushed), \$2.00.  
40 bu. (crushed), \$1.70.  
Delivered to any part of the city.

Washington Gaslight Co.,  
413 10th St.

Or Wm. J. Zeh, 928 N. St. Phone, 476.

## Stoll's shoes

## Buy your wife a Parlor Suite.

—We would recommend one of those magnificent suites that we purchased from F. Mohr & Co. of New York. We think they are the best we ever handled, and we were fortunate enough to buy them at a very low price. You probably know that Mohr & Co. make the best furniture in the market.

They are 3, 4 and 5-piece suites, upholstered in Silk, Silk Tapestry and Silk or Worsted Damask, with rich Silk Fringe to match.

We are showing an unusually attractive assortment of goods suitable for holiday gifts.

We are always willing to extend credit, at no advance

in price, to responsible persons.

Lansburgh's Rink, New York Ave.,  
Bet. 13th and 14th

## CASH OR CREDIT

We have to stay open every evening even later than we expected—so many calls for our fine furniture and clothing.

MAYER & PETTIT

## MUST CONDEMN THE LAND

Commissioners Asked to Include Blagden Subdivision.

## TWO PERMITS ARE REVOKED

Western Union Telegraph Company Authorized to Erect a Line of Poles. Commissioners Informed That National Encampment of Union Veterans' Legion Will Be Held Here.

Chestnut grounds in Blagden's woods were announced to be open to the public in an argument before the Commissioners yesterday afternoon. It was in an effort by William Stone Abert, as the attorney of the heirs of Thomas Blagden, Sr., to convince the Commissioners that they must include the Blagden subdivision in their application to court for condemnation of streets under the highway act, in that case the people must pay for twenty-six acres of streets in this subdivision; otherwise the twenty-six acres must be given by the owners. Mr. Abert says if the Blagden subdivision is not included, the provisions of the highway act are not carried out and the whole proceeding is invalidated.

Mr. Abert pointed out that the Blagden subdivision is one of those existing at the time of the passage of the highway act, was on the maps at the time, and so must have been considered by Congress as one of the subdivisions meant by the terms of the sixth section of the act. The property had been subdivided, this year and a half ago had been dedicated as public roads, the surveyor had accepted the plat, and recorded it and the heirs had spent over \$1,000 in placing stones at the angles of the roads in accordance with the law.

Commissioner Truesdell asked if these roads had ever been opened. Mr. Abert did not know. Commissioner Powell said the roads were not opened. Mr. Abert replied that whether they were open or not was the business of the government and not of the grantor.

PAID NO TAXES. Commissioner Ross asked if the Blagden heirs had not paid taxes on the ground in these roads. Mr. Abert smiled and said he would not be positive, but he felt pretty sure they had not. He also said if any person had been arrested while gathering chestnuts from trees on these roads, he was sure Judge Miller would have acquitted him for the reason that it was public property.

Commissioner Powell made the point that the dedication had never been accepted. Mr. Abert produced the papers in the case in 1870, by which the property was divided among the heirs, and showed that Judge Olin had signed the papers providing for the subdivision. He also produced the plat of the subdivision and read the marginal note by Surveyor Furber accepting the paper for record, also the acceptance by four commissioners, of whom ex-Surveyor Carpenter was one, and to which Mr. George Goggs was witness. He declared that Surveyor Forsythe was the only person with any authority to accept the plat, and he had done and made it a matter of record.

Major Powell denied this, and said he had carefully examined all the papers in the case, including those presented by Mr. Abert, and he was sure there had been no acceptance.

Commissioner Truesdell then raised the point that the alleged subdivision was merely a partition among the heirs, and said in a similar case it had been decided that the work did not constitute a subdivision. Mr. Abert replied that in the other case there had been no record of the plat by the surveyor. He cited the opinion of Judge Bradley in the Goodfellow case to the effect that previous to 1828 any division of land by an owner with dedication of streets and record constituted a subdivision.

## COURT PROCEEDINGS SUGGESTED.

Commissioner Truesdell asked if there was not a sign at the opening of one of the alleged roads saying "No highway." He also said, when Mr. Abert could not answer this, that it would probably be for the advantage of all concerned if Mr. Blagden would institute mandamus proceedings against the Commissioners. There would probably be several similar cases. It is probable that this course will be taken.

Thomas Blagden, Sr., died in 1870, leaving an estate of about 371 acres, lying in the line of Sixteenth street extended. The property was divided between the four children of whom the present Thomas Blagden is one. The whole of the property is still held by them except a part of one interest, which has been sold to Arthur Machen of Baltimore.

Thomas Blagden, Jr., and his mother now live on the tract.

## 60c.

## For \$1 Kinds

Of Men's Chenille Worked Velvet Slippers—opera or Everett cut—patent leather or goat backs.

Ladies' Flannel-lined Beaver Slippers—hand sewed—very comfortable and serviceable.

## WM. HAHN &amp; CO.'S

RELIABLE SHOE HOUSES,  
802-803 7th St. N. W.  
1215-1216 11th St. N. W.  
233 Pa. Ave. S. E.

## PAYING FOR THEIR INJURIES

Ford's Theater Commission Agrees on a Disability Rate.

Five Thousand Dollars the Highest Amount That Will Be Given. A Report in January.

The Ford's Theater commission met yesterday afternoon. It was in session nearly an hour.

The members unanimously voted to place the maximum amount of damages permanent injuries the amount to be paid will be much lower.

All the members of the commission were present except Senators Mendenhall and Daniels. Each of these gentlemen are out of the city. The matter of the maximum amount was fully discussed.

The subcommittee expects to have a report ready in January. The members will put in their holiday time going over the papers in each of the 111 cases yet to be disposed of. They expect to finish up by the first of the year.

The report of the medical board has been of great service so far and will help the subcommittee greatly. The surgeons have not only examined all the applicants, but also called the physicians attending them just after the accident. In this way they have gone to the bottom of the affair.

They have almost classified the injuries themselves and it will only be necessary for the committee to pass on their findings. The report to be made to Congress will be one of the longest printed for some time.

## DIS-SO-LU-TION SALE.

Been there? Then get there with all speed. The fabulous bargains there offered are being snapped up with wonderful rapidity.

Crowds of eager, anxious buyers throng the salesrooms, noon and night, get a move on you, and have a share in the rich spoils.

Men's Suits, \$2.50 to \$5.00.  
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Boys' Long Pants Suits.  
—Suits 12 to 18 years.  
\$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, \$6, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50.

Boys' Short Pants Suits.  
—Suits 4 to 14 years.  
\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4, \$4.50.

Men's Overcoats.  
Stick a pin right here. Blue and Black Overcoats, Campbell's Kersey, than which there is none better extant.

These elegant garments have worsted body linings, satin sleeve linings, and velvet collars. Rich in appearance, stylish in cut and fit to perfection. —\$7.50

Boys' Overcoats,  
\$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5.  
Got another pin stuck here. A large lot of STOUT COATS FOR BOYS, \$1.50

Boys' Reefers.  
\$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5.  
Among these are some of the handiest ever shown on this market.

A Rich and Rare Assortment of Junior and Juvenile Suits.

Several lines of MEN'S PANTALOONS, such as were never before seen in this part of the city. —\$1.50

Now, what are you going to do about it?

VICTOR E. ADLER'S

TEN PER CENT CLOTHING HOUSE.  
STRICTLY ONE PRICE.

927-929 Seventh Street,  
Cor Mass. Ave.

Open evenings till 9; Saturday till 11.

See These Advantages.

Removal prices on everything in stock. Credit for everything you buy. Everything that furnishes a house here to select from. They're what are drawing the crowds.

House & Herrmann,  
917, 919, 921, and 923  
SEVENTH ST.,  
636 Mass. Ave.

## The People Are Coming By The Thousand!!

The time has come when further delay is folly. We must immediately turn this enormous stock into cash. We are going to unload our enormous stock of Fine Overcoats, Suits, Trousers, and Children's and Boys' Clothing at a tremendous sacrifice! STUDY THE MARVELS OF THESE PRICES AND STAND AMAZED! This wonderful sale is boundless, irresistible!

## Men's Suits.

Men's Single and Double-breasted Suits, \$3.40  
Men's Heavy Winter Suits, \$3.90  
Men's Heavy Winter Melton Suits, \$4.40  
Men's Cassimere Suits, \$5.00  
Men's Clay Worsted Suits, \$6.00

## Men's Pants.

Men's Cassimere Pants, \$1.50  
Men's Black and Blue Pure Wool Cheviot, \$1.60  
Men's Edward Harris Cassimere Pants, \$1.90  
Men's Sawyer's Cassimere Pants, \$2.20  
Young Men's Heavy Winter Pants, \$1.00

## Men's Overcoats.

Men's Heavy Winter Overcoats, \$3.95  
Men's \$10.00 Oxford Mixed Overcoats, \$4.00  
Men's Dark Grey Overcoats, \$4.25  
Men's \$12.00 Blue Kersey Overcoats, \$5.00  
Men's \$15.00 French Black Cheviot Overcoats, \$6.50  
Men's Imported German Overcoats, \$7.00  
Men's \$15.00 Irish Frieze Ulsters, 50 inches long, made in first-class style, \$7.00  
Men's \$20.00 Melton and Kersey Overcoats, \$9.00

## Boys' Suits.

Double and Single-breasted, up to 19 years, worth \$8.50, \$3.68

## Children's Clothing

Children's Overcoats, \$1.20  
Children's Deep Cape Overcoats, \$1.35  
Children's Suits, \$1.00  
Children's \$2.50 Suits, \$1.20  
Children's \$3.00 Suits, \$1.50  
Children's Strictly All-wool Suits, \$1.60  
Children's Cassimere Knee Pants, 15c.  
Children's Corduroy Knee Pants, 42c.

## CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, 17c for 3 for 50c  
Men's Best Grade Silk Garters, per pair, 25c  
The greatest value in the city, 75c and \$1  
Fancy Embroidered Satin Suspenders, in glass boxes, per pair, 50c  
50c Neckwear we claim to lead; every conceivable color, in necks, puffs, imperials and four-in-hands, (all in a handsome box), each, 50c  
Satin Embroidered Suspenders, in all colors, per pair, 25c  
Plaid and Initial Silk Handkerchiefs, special, each, 25c  
Better Grade, 16 Initial and Plain, each, 50c

H. FRIEDLANDER & BRO., 9th and E Sts. N. W.

## Left Over.

We've just a few of those Suits and Overcoats left over from our Factory Sale. You're lucky if you can find your size amongst them, because they are the biggest value we ever offered. We made them all in our own factory, and we know they were well made, and we know there's good material in them, too.

Overcoats at \$9  
Suits at \$8

Those are the prices we put on them, and we'll sell the leftovers at the same prices.

Dyrenforth,  
621 Pa. Ave.  
Under Metropolitan Hotel.

DR. SHADE'S  
CHLORIDUM DISCOVERY  
FOR CONSUMPTION

CURES Pulmonary Tuberculosis (Consumption), Laryngeal Phthisis, Nasal Catarrh, Catarrh of the Throat, and all diseases of the Lungs, Throat, Nose and Air Passages.

Office hours—9 to 11 a. m. 1 to 6 p. m. daily, except Sunday. Consultation Free. No. 1322 Fourteenth Street.  
DR. SHADE & McCONNELL.

## We are too busy

to talk. We have all we can attend to selling our stock out at one-third off the regular prices.

We expected to have a crowd of buyers in, because all the Suits and Overcoats we sell were cheap at our regular prices. It is all first-class clothing, made specially for us, and 33 1/3 off our prices brings it down to less than what we paid for it.

Clothiers, Hatters and Shirmakers. Loeb & Hirsh, The F Street Clothiers.  
910-912 F STREET N. W., WHITE BUILDING.

Stoll's shoes

## TAKOMA SPRING WATER.

The Most Delicious Table Water. For gallon in Demijohns 50c. In bottles, 15c.

## Shoes for you men.

The kind of shoes that you expect to get in exchange for good money. If they do not give you good wear we will replace them with pleasure. You will do us a favor by letting us know of any imperfections, that we may have them corrected.

A fine grade of Men's PATENT LEATHERS—in the prevailing styles of toes, \$1.50  
CALF SHOES—the kind you willingly pay \$4.00 for anywhere else, and they are worth it, \$1.73  
FINEST SELECTED CALF Balmorals and Congress, shoes that will wear excellently and always keep their shape, \$2.23  
HAND WELTS in Calf and Patent Leather; neat and stylish shoes, look well and wear well, \$2.48  
A FINE CALF SHOE, one that it would be hard to improve on—hand welts—the latest toes—pointed, medium or broad, \$2.98

STOLL'S  
"810" Seventh St. N. W.

## ODD FELLOWS' HALL CAFE DINING ROOM.

1606 M St. N. W.  
First-class catering for balls, parties and private families.  
Break, 10 and 12c.  
Families supplied with salt water oysters by the quart or gallon.  
Ice cream wholesale and retail.  
JOHN VENIE, Proprietor.

## HOTELS.

## HOTEL WARNER.

470-472 Pennsylvania Avenue north west, near 6th street. Business men's lunch, 12 to 2 o'clock, 25c; table d'hôte dinner, 1.30 to 7:30 p. m., 50c. c-23-33a